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## OVERSEA TRADE

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. Apparel and attire, this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed £A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" £A f.o.b. or "domestic value" £A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	February 1964	February 1965	Eight months ended 28th February	
				1964	1965
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>					
Butter	'000 lb.	-	-	703	385
Cheese	'000 lb.	1,772	2,330	16,816	14,149
Flour (incl. semolina)	ton	7,960	3,252	64,907	52,167
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	2	50	2,173	5,028
Raisins	'000 lb.	96	855	14,802	16,188
Other	'000 lb.	311	213	2,307	2,347
Fresh - Apples	case	-	-	69,948	10,605
Preserved and pulped	'000 lb.	690	2,668	14,155	17,518
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	4,020	2,513	7,946	6,449
Bran and pollard	'000 bush.	98	45	949	661
Oats	'000 bush.	-	423	15	583
Wheat	'000 bush.	5,613	4,536	24,166	13,891
Meat - Beef	'000 lb.	67	184	4,524	3,899
Lamb	'000 lb.	51	72	8,803	10,841
Peas (incl. split peas)	cental	12,531	14,707	62,817	63,243
Spirituuous liquors	pf gal.	8,877	2,332	41,931	49,267
Wine	'000 gal.	111	121	903	1,205
<u>Animal and Vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	11,149	12,014	126,535	121,519
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	11,486	10,931	119,219	117,832
Other	'000 lb.	1,096	732	10,315	7,561
<u>Minerals, metals, &amp; metal manufactures</u>					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	163	116	1,684	2,374
Concentrates and ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	115	-	407	406
Lead and silver-lead	'000 cwt	125	148	1,211	975
Zinc	'000 cwt	346	317	2,222	2,473
Metals & metal manufactures -					
Iron and steel scrap	'000 cwt	57	177	961	1,191
Lead (pig)	'000 cwt	286	409	2,321	2,030

- Nil or less than half final digit.



TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	February 1964	February 1965	Eight months ended 28th February	
			1964	1965
	£'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>				
Butter	-	-	88	59
Cheese	134	232	1,388	1,408
Fish (incl. crayfish)	65	60	211	182
Flour (incl. semolina)	244	104	2,002	1,768
Fruit, Dried - Currants	-	3	131	333
Raisins	6	60	1,044	1,168
Other	55	32	328	331
Fresh - Apples	-	-	106	18
Other	-	2	413	295
Juices and syrups	2	1	45	130
Preserved and pulped	40	160	827	1,050
Grain - Barley	2,077	1,569	3,955	3,679
Bran and pollard	12	9	155	109
Oats	-	153	7	224
Wheat	3,975	3,212	17,131	10,405
Honey	18	5	59	25
Meat - Beef	8	26	590	535
Lamb	2	3	736	929
Other	44	89	441	605
Peas (incl. split peas)	26	20	138	128
Spirituuous liquors	22	5	91	111
Wine	88	88	778	1,063
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)				
Hides and skins	321	232	3,339	3,074
Tallow	33	69	348	478
Wool - Greasy	3,620	2,690	33,769	30,968
Other	515	285	4,235	3,154
<u>Minerals, metals, &amp; metal manufactures</u>				
Minerals -				
Gypsum	13	10	183	310
Concentrates and ores -				
Copper	395	-	1,427	1,645
Lead and silver-lead	434	852	3,507	4,340
Zinc	429	532	2,247	4,713
Metals and metal manufactures -				
Iron and steel scrap	52	119	703	799
Lead (pig)	1,380	3,079	9,949	13,560
Machinery and vehicles	352	380	4,570	4,213
Other metals & metal manufactures	970	157	3,257	2,577
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, drugs, chemicals, plastics	4	19	162	203
Salt	10	36	270	237
All other	125	576	1,725	2,221
TOTAL EXPORTS	15,471	14,869	100,355	97,047

(a) The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

- Nil or less than £500.



TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	February	February	Eight months ended 28th February	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
	£'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>				
Cocoa, coffee, and chicory	10	7	121	103
Fish	83	72	491	531
Tea	64	24	353	394
Tobacco and cigarettes	12	17	119	136
Whisky	2	9	41	52
<u>Animal and vegetable substances (not foodstuffs)</u>				
Apparel and attire	54	46	258	291
Bags and sacks - Corn and flour (new)	127	71	1,531	1,166
Other (incl. secondhand)	30	6	258	341
Fibres - Vegetable	138	280	1,223	1,170
Paper, paper pulp, and paper board	138	171	1,658	2,013
Rubber and rubber goods	87	176	723	1,038
Stationery and books (incl. paper manufactures)	164	91	1,024	957
Textiles and piecegoods	228	266	1,991	2,256
Timber	427	369	2,288	2,608
Yarns	9	12	71	96
<u>Paints, drugs, chemicals, plastics</u>				
Drugs, chemicals, and medicines	155	170	1,254	1,491
Fertilizers	136	91	755	1,034
Paints, varnishes, and pigments	9	21	121	164
Plastic materials, fibres, and yarns	102	143	932	1,361
<u>Minerals, metals, and metal manufactures</u>				
Asbestos - Crude and fibre	27	7	119	153
Electrical equipment	231	271	2,632	2,796
Iron and steel	226	420	2,159	3,930
Machines and machinery -				
Dynamo electrical	26	77	584	440
Other	1,252	1,334	8,421	9,592
Non-ferrous metals	35	52	355	353
Vehicles -				
Aircraft and parts	8	17	81	75
Motor vehicles and parts	1,438	891	12,872	14,273
Motor cycles, cycles and parts	9	16	125	158
Other vehicles and parts	61	57	388	397
Wire	19	15	183	183
Other metals and metal manufactures	137	129	1,043	1,517
<u>Oils, fats, waxes</u>				
Petrol	71	255	745	1,012
Kerosene	-	-	41	74
Crude oil	1,361	504	5,630	4,579
Other	159	143	904	934
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Arms, ammunition, explosives	14	16	83	118
Earthenware - Ceramic tiles	11	17	181	132
Householdware	11	19	182	186
Glass and glassware	74	117	687	785
Instruments - Scientific	57	52	232	305
Jewellery and timepieces	20	25	237	261
Outside packages (a)	150	117	1,313	1,322
All other	463	392	3,243	3,720
TOTAL IMPORTS	7,835	6,985	57,652	64,497

(a) See note (a) page 2.

